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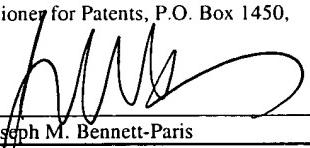
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

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Responsive to the final Office Action mailed on April 14, 2005, the applicant requests further examination under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 in light of the following amendments and remarks, which are believed to place the application in condition for allowance.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.